



UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON HEIDELBERG

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY CONTROL COMMITTEE MEETING

6 JUNE 2006, 1330 HRS, TOMPKINS BARRACKS



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| ■ Welcome & Agenda Overview | Mr. Griffin |
| ■ Opening Remarks | COL Gaddis |
| ■ Earth Week 2006 Summary | Mr. Colabella |
| ■ Funding FY06/07 | Ms. Lamy |
| ■ External EPAS Findings | Ms. Lamy |
| ■ Media Managers' Overview | ED Staff |
| ■ Discussion / Due-Outs | All |
| ■ Closing Comments | COL Gaddis |



EARTH WEEK 2006

April 22-26



- **4/22 Grocery Bags distributed by Commissary**
- **4/24 GAD Community Cleanup**
- **4/25 Student hike at the Schwetzingen LTA**
- **4/25 93rd MEDICAL BN and PHV Elementary School planted trees to celebrate Earth Day**
- **4/26 GAD & HD Alternative Transportation Day – Recognized walkers, bikers, carpoolers & those using public transport.**
- **4/27 Candlelight Dinner at the Patton DFAC - Turned off the lights to save energy**
- **4/28 USAG Heidelberg Celebrates Earth Week 2006 at the PHV Recycling Center with awards ceremony and student activities**
- **4/28 GAD closed Earth Week 2006 celebrations with an awards ceremony and BBQ**



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City of Heidelberg's Environmental Mayor addresses the audience



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Recycled Paper Making





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Alternative Transportation Day



Tree Planting and Student Hike



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Awards Ceremony



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Tree Planting Germersheim



GAD Community Cleanup



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Germersheim, Friday, April 28



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Budget Layout Oversight



- **FY06 VENC funding distribution:** \$5,919,380 (w/o salaries)
(Class 0 = \$3,732,630; Class 1 = \$2,186,748)
- **Currently funded:** \$2,866,322, obligated 48%
- **VENC:** High-visibility environmental compliance
- **Class 0:** Recurring projects and activities to cover essential management requirements
- **Class 1:** Projects and activities to comply with applicable laws where deadline already passed



Budget Layout

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- **FY06 projects awarded Oct 05 - May 06:**
 - **EMS Implementation**
 - **Air Emission Testing Germersheim Army Depot**
 - **Hazardous Waste Recovery Equipment**
 - **Unknown Hazardous Substances Sampling**
 - **GIS Contractor**
 - **Lead-based Paint Re-survey**
 - **IFSM Asbestos Data Management**
 - **CAT II Asbestos Survey MTV/PHV**

4 FY06 VENC scheduled awards awaiting Service Contract Approval (SECA Harvey contract approval policy)



Budget Layout



Continuous Shortfalls OMA/AFH:

- **Repair sewer lines: Campbell, Hospital, MTV, PHV, Tompkins**
- **Asbestos re-survey: PHV Admin (since 02)***
- **Asbestos re-survey: Hammonds, HAH, Golf Course, Kilbourne, Koenigstuhl, Patton, Oftersheim, Stem, Tompkins (since 04)***
- **Repair impervious surface, bldg 4226 (Strip Yard Tompkins)**
- **Repair impervious surface, bldg 4218 (V Corps STB)**

*** Projects are identified and programmed for execution, no funding provided, resulted in repeated findings at the FY06 external EPAS**



Budget Layout Oversight



- **Tentative FY07 VENC funding distribution: \$7,957,305 (w/o salaries)**
- **Class 0 = \$4,372,149**
- **Class 1 = \$3,585,156**



Environmental Performance Assessment System (EPAS)



No final report yet!

Comments on draft report back to IMA-E

Total Findings: 84 Completed: 32 (38%)

Resolved Significant Findings

- Lack of fully implemented EQCC**
- Paint booth air emissions at GAD**
- Malfunctioning leak detection system Tompkins**
- Numerous HM/HW improper storage findings**



CENTRALIZED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE MANAGEMENT



- It is IMA policy to establish standardized and centralized HM and HW business practices that reduce and prevent pollution by controlling and reducing the acquisition, use, handling and disposition of HM and generation of HW.
- New HW storage site Patton Barracks will centralize storage of HW at the site. Operation will start this month.



New facility at Patton Bks, bldg 184



ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE OFFICERS' TRAINING



- Online training replaces onsite training (Beta Version of online Environmental Compliance Officers' Training available now)
- Recommend to test training and forward comments to the HazMat Program Manager
Mr Ludger Henning
(DSN 387-3142)
- For testing, go the Environmental Website:



<http://www.dpw.heidelberg.army.mil/environmental/ecotraining.htm>



ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS TRAINING



- Conducted quarterly or upon request
- Includes EMS, HM, HW, and asbestos awareness training
- Next class scheduled for 21 June 06, 0900 – 1130 hrs, DPW conference room, CSC, Bldg. # 3962.
- Forward registration to the HazMat Program Manager
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ASBESTOS RESURVEY AFH



- Asbestos survey completed in May 06
- 36 AFH buildings inspected
- Focus on playrooms and mechanical rooms
- Pipe/tank insulation and debris discovered in the past
- Resurvey of Cat. II materials required at least every 2 years
- 15 Bldgs: Contamination as a result of fibers falling through cracks in the ceiling panels into dayrooms & single soldier quarters
- Rooms identified as contaminated will remain off limits to residents
- Abatement (asbestos removal, attic decon. & paneling): \$ 60,000/building – total of \$ 900,000





ASBESTOS RESURVEY NON-HOUSING



- Asbestos resurvey GAD, Campbell & Hospital
- Approximately 140 Bldgs to be re-inspected
- Last survey 97/99; out of compliance since 02/04
- Resurvey of Cat. III materials required at least every 5 years
- Performance period: 15 May through 31 Aug 06
- Close coordination with AICs and tenant units
- Comprehensive info on location, quantities, and condition of ACM critical
- Overall objective: Prevent possible exposure of building occupants





Cultural Resources



- **USAG-H Community Cultural Resources Manager (CRM) is Ms. Anja Emmenecker, DPW, ED**
- **Integrated Cultural Resources Management Plan (ICRMP) established Apr 04 (available on the website)**
- **Protected cultural sites and buildings are located mainly in Campbell Bks, Nachrichten Kaserne, Tompkins Bks and at Häusserstrasse 8**
- **Planning/design of new construction projects involving historic sites need to be coordinated between CRM, Master Planning, Real Property and other involved key players if necessary**
- **If a known protected site is impacted by a planned project, prior approval from Host Nation is required**





Environmental Management System (EMS) Update



- Awaiting EMS EPAS final report
- Conducting Senior Leadership Training 8 June 2006 and Hospital Training 1 and 15 June 2006
- EMS Management Representative: Mr. Ernest Tafoya, Chief of Staff, to be replaced by LTC Diggs at end of June
- Awaiting IMA-E guidance regarding new metrics



Hazardous Waste Environmental Management Program (EMP)



- Hazardous Waste Reduction
- Objective: Implement centralized storage facility on Patton for hazardous waste
- Target: Utilization of facility by all (4) motor pools on Patton
- Benefits:
 - Centralized area, more storage capacity, more control over waste, and cost reduction
 - Presented to Cross Functional Team on 24 May 2006



Discussion Due-Outs



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CONTACT INFORMATION



??? Questions???

???Comments???

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Next EQCC



**Next EQCC meeting is tentatively
scheduled for**

6 September 2006, 1330 hrs

**Training Facility
Tompkins Barracks
Bldg 4219**